With which is incorporated the Independent.

DANIEL LOGAN, Editor.

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GREATEST OF ALL.

Am det all the agitation for works of internal development, the greatest scheme of all has dropped out of view, now, for several years. That is the building of a railway from Hilo to Hamagua. It has had no powerful champion since the death of Samuel G. Wilder, who really laid down his life in pursuit of the project. The railway in question ought to have been placed abead of Pacific and inter-island cables in the order of importance. It would unite in one industrial community the whole windward side of Hawaii, and open up large belts of land adapted to a great variety of products. Hilo would by that railway attain to the importance as an entrepot of commerce for the largest island of the group which is her natural due. The treasury could well afford, from certain promise of increased revenues to pay for whatever improvements the harbor of Hilo requires, both in enhancing its safety for refuge and its facilities of commerce. Mr. Rycroft, representative for Puna, has often and eloquently urged in the Legislature the importance of common roads to open up the coffee lands of Hawaii. His arguments would apply with equal force to the Hilo and Hamakua railway. This great project if carried out would certainly increase to a degree at present hardly calculable the area of improved lands, and thus multiply the tax-bearing capabilities of the whole coast and territory back of it extending far into the mountain range. The process of development would be immensely enlarged by irrigation works where needed to render now desert lands cultivable. What would be saved in freights to the sugar and coffee planters, from having their products shipped direct to San Francisco from Hilo, would be a large economy for those great interests. Direct steamers would be placed on the route, which would at once develop an important trade in pineapples, bananas, limes and other fruits. Honolulu has nothing to gain by stupid ealousy toward a project that would make Hilo a gateway of commerce to the group in general and to the largest island in particular. Whatever develops the resources of one part of the country enriches the whole commonwealth.

#### OBSERVATIONS.

In an article on the political and commercial prospects of China, the Celestial Empire published at Shanghai says: "In China the excitement of the war is rapidly cooling down, too rapidly indeed, for its lessons are already forgotten, and China, whom dear old women in Europe insisted was going to reform, has trumbled back into her old groove and is lying in the rut, for all the world like a nigger child twirling its thumbs, and staring at nothingness." The article gives a warning relative to the treatment of the Chinese by the Powers, saying that "unchecked rioting is apt to break out again with redoubled violence." This warning has its commentary in the later information of a brutal 79-11

massacro of American and English missionary women at a place in

The Chinese have a proverb a smiling face should not open a

One of the savings of Moliere was "Unreasonable haste is the direct road to error.' it will probably be exemplified in the Spalding cable contract.

In this issue appear the appropriation acts of the special session. The soldiering business, including the Citizens' Guard, takes 19 per cent of all the money voted, including the \$32,000 for the Honolulu high school.

The personal pronoun "I" is recommended to ex-Labor Commissioner and Adviser-in-general Armstrong as a coat of arms in lien of the title or decoration his eminent services to the commonwealth demand at the hands of a grateful oligarchy.

Stimulated by the competition of electric light companies, the makers of coal gas have greatly improved their product. They have perfected an incandescent gas light costing only one-seventh as much as incandescent electric light of equal power. That old gas franchise in the Hawaiian statutes may yet be dug up and people who persist in stopping utilized.

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Most people make their wills which says that he that hath not before they die, and some of them are great curiosities in their way. Among the many curious legaties made lately is that of a Christiana man who directs that his whole fortune SATURDAYS shall be expended in bicycles. A Norwegian newspaper which does not give itself up to the comic element relates that a Dutch lawyer, named Nikolson, Dutch lawyer, named Nikolson, bequeathed the whole of his at 3:11 p.m. Returning will arrive in Honolulu at 3:11 p.m. and 5:55 p.m. property to trustees, to be employed in the purchase of bicycles for the use of children attending school, while part of the money is to go towards paying the teacher to train the boys in bicycle riding.

The validity of the will has been disputed by the sons of the testator, who refuse to acknowledge it, so that it is still a question of doubt whether the children will reap the benefit of the strange bequest. That the testator was sincere enough. and that he recognized in the wheel untold blessings which might have escaped the observation of minds of less acumen, the concluding portion of the will should go to prove. It says :-

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Now that lawyer had good hard, solid sense and plenty of it, in fact, a good deal more of it than most lawyers are credited with, and yet not more than many boys and girls in Honolulu have, for are there not many of the latter who are spending their whole fortunes in purchasing a bicycle and they are wise in spending their money on something that will give them their money's worth 1-tf every time.

The bicycle of the Khedive of Egypt is a gorgeous machine, almost entirely covered with silver plating but if anyone "English you know" is wanted we can supply similiar machines to those used by the Prince of Wales' boys and girls,

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